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Senator Henry M. Jackson (D., Wash.) today released the transcript of executive session testimony by three former senior officials of the National Security Council who appeared before the Subcommittee on National Policy Machinery during May, 1960.

Admiral Sidney W. Souers, Executive Secretary of the NSC from 1947 to 1950.

Brig. Gen. Robert Cutler, Special Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs in 1953-55 and 1957-58.

Dillon Anderson, Special Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs in 1955 and 1956.

Because this testimony related to the National Security Council, it was taken in executive session in accordance with the "guidelines" agreed to by the Subcommittee Chairman, Senator Jackson, and President Eisenhower last July. Those guidelines state that: "Any testimony by present or former government officials who have served on the National Security Council or its subordinate bodies regarding the National Security Council and its subordinate machinery will be taken first in executive session."

This testimony has been cleared for release in accordance with the procedures set forth in the guidelines.